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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 12, 2002, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claims 12 and 13.

In accordance with Rule 121(c), please amend the Claims 1, 11, and 14 as shown in attached Exhibit A (Clean Form of Rewritten Claims) and attached Exhibit B (Marked-Up Version of Rewritten Claims).